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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to Office Action for the above-referenced patent application mailed September 30, 2005 be extended for one (1) month to and including January 30, 2006. Please charge the \$60 extension fee to the credit card indicated on the attached form PTO-2038.

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